Project ID	DIP036	
Long Title	Fair Isle Unified Low Carbon Electricity Storage and Generation Project	
Short Title	Fair Isle Energy Project	
Keywords	Community; Rural; Domestic; Electricity; Heat; Solar PV; Wind; Thermal Storage; Direct Electric Storage; Smart Grids; Microgrid; Active Network Management; Social Impacts;	
Location (Town, Region, Country)	Fair Isle	Scotland
Latitude and Longitude	59.53N	1.63W
OSGB code	HZ 210 718	
Status	Ongoing	
Start Date	2017	
End Date	2018	
Description	Fair Isle is not connected to the national grid network. Developing the islands local energy system supply is one of the highest priorities identified in the recent community development plan and will transform life on the island. This project aims to develop an innovative and collaborative local energy model potentially replicable across other island communities, based on an innovative combination of technologies.	
Sectors	Domestic	
Funding Sources	Low Carbon Infrastructure Transition Programme	
Budget £	£3.5 million (£1.75m from LCITP)	
Partners	Fair Isle Electricity Company, Shetland Island Council, Highland and Island Enterprise	
Energy vectors	Electricity, Heat	
Scale (lab/site/ small/community/region/national)	Community	
Technologies demonstrated	Smart controls, solar PV, active network management, thermal storage, battery storage, wind	
Economic models demonstrated	Private wire microgrid, community-ownership	
Other concepts demonstrated	Island energy system	
Industry engagement		
Consumer engagement	c. 30 households	
Project Reports (incl. links)	http://www.fairisle.org.uk/uploads/2/2/6/9/2269756/ fair isle energy project newsletter 5.docx	
Datasets (incl. links)		
Website/social media	http://www.fairisle.org.uk/news.html	
Information sources	As above	